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TO Chief of Station, Frankfurt
ATTN: ☐ ☐

DATE

FROM Chief, EE

SUBJECT ☐ GENERAL Operational
☐ SPECIFIC CAUSA

Attached is a memorandum on the subject of CAUSA's visit. There appears to have been some misunderstanding concerning Washington's attitude towards CAUSA'S visit and his importance in the scheme of things. The annexed memorandum is designed to clarify this misunderstanding although it seems to me pitched in a somewhat discordant key. I suggest that you pass the substance of the memorandum on to ☐ ☐ informally.

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TO Chief of Mission, Frankfurt

DATE

FROM Chief, EE

SUBJECT: GENERAL Operational
SPECIFIC CAUSA

1. Although the CAUSA visit has been cancelled, it is quite probable that he will be able to visit the United States sometime in the future. Therefore we should like you to be aware of our reactions to BORN 2733. A cable containing this information was ready for transmission to you when we received word of the cancellation.

2. We assured that all concerned here in KUBARK are well aware of the importance of CAUSA's position in the Federal Republic. Our cable, DIR 04979, was not intended to convey any other impression. The reason we recommended curtailment of the proposed seven day visit is the simple fact that there would not be enough to talk about with CAUSA which would take more than about a day. Consequently we could not see the need for his remaining here in Washington as our guest for five or six extra days. Taking into consideration official discussions, luncheons, dinners, and sightseeing, two to three days in this vicinity would be sufficient. We had considered also the possibility of a trip to Williamsburg or the like.

3. Our cable apparently also gave cause for inference of underestimation because we stated that no definite arrangements could be made until we knew exactly when CAUSA was coming. Any official visits sponsored by KUBARK require a tremendous amount of effort and coordination back here. We cannot ask senior KUBARK personnel to arrange their schedules on a stand-by basis for an indefinite period. When DIR 04979 was sent, all we knew was that CAUSA might possibly be here sometime between 9 and 17 June. Without more specific dates we could not arrange conference rooms (which are used heavily), we could not even select senior personnel to meet with CAUSA since such personnel operate on a tight appointment basis, are frequently out of the city, etc.

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- A. Official welcome by []
- ~~B. Briefing on charter distinctions (subject 3A of BORN 2733) by Fletcher M. Knight.~~
- C. Luncheon with Ascham, [] Knight, Acting KUCHAP, Chief MUJARE, [] [] and possibly an assistant to the President.
- D. Ascham to discuss subjects 3B and D of BORN 2733.
- E. Briefing by Chief MUJARE on MGO and IAC.
- F. Dinner to be given by []
- G. Escorted sightseeing, etc. in Washington area.
- H. Other discussions and luncheons as appropriate and as time would permit.

5. I believe it is quite obvious that in order to make definite arrangements for that type of program one must know exactly when the visitor will be available.

6. Should a visit by CAUSA materialize in the future perhaps the above can be used as a guide for program scheduling with such additions as you may wish to suggest.

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2 - EE/FI/4 (1 cc to FIZ for CAUSA file)

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Chief, EE

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EE/DOOP

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AIR

~~KAPOK~~

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Chief, EE

Operational

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